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### WIFE'S PAST VERY UNSAVORY

Officials Posses Information That Woman's Previous Husband Was Murdered and by Her Brother, Brashear.

HILLSBORO, Or., Oct. 6.—The weight of circumstantial evidence tending to show that Carey D. Snyder, Mrs. Snyder, George Perry and Brashear were all together in the plot to rob the Forest Grove bank, and that the two latter, after committing the deed alone, murdered Snyder to silence his tongue, grows stronger as investigations by the Washington county authorities proceed. Efforts are now being made to get a statement from Mrs. Snyder, as the authorities are convinced that she can, if she will, tell the whole story and clear up the mystery surrounding the affair.

Evidence has been secured by the officers to the effect that Brashear, who is alleged to have been Perry's partner in the bank robbery, is a brother of Mrs. Snyder, and that he was in the Kansas City prison on a charge of murdering her first husband at the time she met Snyder and Perry through her visits to the jail to see Brashear. Brashear was cleared of the murder charge on the ground that he killed his man in self-defense. The story placed in the hands of the authorities is that Mrs. Snyder and her first husband had domestic trouble that resulted in an open breach and her expulsion from their home. With her brother she went to the house after her belongings and her husband, it is said, attempted to drive them from

the house by force. In the fight Brashear, it is claimed, drew a gun and killed the husband. When he was in jail awaiting trial, Mrs. Snyder called to see him and there met Perry and Snyder who occupied the same cell adjoining that of Brashear.

### CUPID WRONG AGAIN.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—Cable advices from Berlin published here today report that the Grand Duke of Hesse, who was divorced from Princess Victoria of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha in 1901, is contemplating a divorce from his second wife, Princess Eleonore of Solms-Sohmsolms-Lich, whom he married in October, 1905.

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Cuban Constitution Officially Claimed to  
Provide for Intervention Under  
Circumstances at Present  
Existing.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—Governor and Mrs. Magoon, General Bell, Mrs. Taft and Mrs. Bacon left Washington today for Havana.

Governor Magoon will exercise in Cuba all power originally vested in General Wood when he ruled Cuba. He will be subject only to the orders of President Roosevelt and Secretary Taft. Cuba will have but a semblance of autonomous government. The United States minister will remain at Havana and the Cuban consuls will remain at their posts. It is officially stated that there has been no violation of the Cuban constitution as that document contains a provision for intervention under just such circumstances as those at present existing, consequently it is said that Cuba is still governed by constitutional means.

HAVANA, Oct. 6.—The disarmament of the rebels cannot be successfully completed until the volunteers organized by the Cuban government are disbanded. That is the position taken by various rebel commanders who are strongly inclined to remain under arms until the volunteer organizations disappear. This is the only important element now retarding the otherwise fairly rapid dispersal of the rebel forces. The disposition of the provisional government is to yield to the demand. The volunteers would have been mustered out before this, but for the necessity of having some force in addition to the police until the arrival of Federal troops to guard the towns. It is related, however, that in many sections the presence of volunteers acts as an irritant to the surrendering rebels. The conduct of the volunteers towards their late opponents has not been in all ways exemplary, and what seems most necessary is the presence of a force of United States soldiers or marines for every town. Opinions of ex-President Palma, on account of his invitation to the United States to intervene are now developing into denunciations. Editorials printed in the afternoon papers vary from guardedly expressed suspicions from organs previously most friendly to Palma to violent execrations by opposing journals. These papers do not hesitate to pronounce Palma and O'Farrell's conduct as traitorous. The first contingent of United States troops arrived late tonight on the transport Sumner. They will be taken to Camp Columbia tomorrow.

### GENEROSITY MISAPPLIED

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work falls on the navy which will supply the marines and sailors necessary to police the cities in case their safety is threatened by insurrectionists or armed bands of marauders, masquerading as patriots. But should the Cubans eventually become ugly, a problem almost as grave as that of the Philippines will confront our authorities. The Cubans are adepts at guerilla warfare and managed to keep several hundred thousand Spanish soldiers busy for years. While it is unlikely that any large force would take the field against American arms, much apprehension is felt as to the possibility of unrest among those who have found fighting a profitable employment for years. There are thousands of Cubans who have made revolution a trade and have found it easier to live off the country while in rebellion than to work. They were almost constantly in arms against Spain for many years and levied tribute and blackmail on the sugar and tobacco plantations. They have just completed a successful revolution against their own government. It may not be easy, therefore, to quiet these restless spirits. Were the conditions similar to the Philippines the task confronting our military authorities would be much easier. In those islands insurrectionists are called "ladrones" and "banditti" and are wiped out. Many of them are savages and little attention is paid to loss of life amongst them. The thousands of miles separating the islands from our shores also enables the work of pacification to proceed without attracting too much unfavorable comment in this country. But with Cuba the situation is very different. The Cubans are "patriots" and our brothers-in-arms. During many years they drew their munitions of war from this country to employ against the Spanish government. We went to war with a friendly power to "free" them. It is true the civilized world looks to us to preserve order in Cuba, but it will scarcely countenance the methods employed in the Philippines.

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## BUY PAGE BUILDING AT \$70,000

SYNDICATE CLOSED FOR THE  
CHOICE BUSINESS SITE ON COMMERCIAL STREET YESTERDAY—  
UNDER A CORPORATION.

As indicated in these columns on Thursday morning last the fine and conspicuous property in this city known as the Page building at the corner of Twelfth and Commercial streets has been sold at the option figure then quoted, \$70,000, to a syndicate composed of E. Z. Ferguson, Dr. J. A. Fulton, Charles R. Higgins, G. W. Warren and F. L. Warren. These gentlemen will incorporate their interests and the property will pass to the company thus organized and duly managed for the future.

The fact that Judge Charles H. Page is going to the east to reside permanently, is at the basis of the sale of this fine property, and it is conceded that the purchasers have acquired a paying property at a very fair price. Most of the tenants on the property are occupying their holdings under long-term leases, and at commensurate rentals, and it is expected the investment will net its new owners ten per cent above the tax and insurance charges. The property is known officially as lots 6, 7, 8 and 9, in block 61, of McClure's Astoria.

The deal just consummated is one of the largest closed in the city for some time past, and is but a precursor of several more of almost equal importance, which are not yet quite ready for the publicity these columns afford, but which will be announced at the earliest possible moment.

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Notice—A meeting of the stockholders of the Scandinavian Benevolent Society is hereby called and shall be held at the hall of said society in the City of Astoria, Oregon, on the 9th day of October, 1906, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of authorizing the dissolution of such corporation and settling of its business and disposing of all its real and personal property, and the retiring and cancellation of all its capital stock.

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